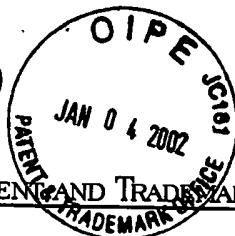




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  - \$153 for 17 total claims over 20.
  - \$360 for 9 independent claims over 3 .
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- 7 sheets of formal drawings
- Executed Power of Attorney by Assignee and Exclusion of Inventor
- Executed Declaration of Inventors
- Assignment and Recordation Cover Sheet
- Request to Correct Filing Receipt
- Petition for Extension
- A check is enclosed for **\$1024.00** for the following:

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